

**THEME**  
Question



# How does geography shape a community?

**Communities grow in many different places.** One community might form by a river while another might develop on a coast, in the mountains, or on the plains.

Each place has its own particular climate, landscape, and resources. Its geography affects how people in that community live, work, and play.



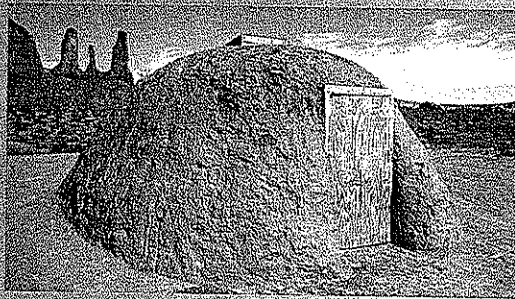
## Focus Questions

### Selection ①



How can we describe a community by its geography?

### Selection ②



How do geography and natural resources affect a community?

### Selection ③



How does geography affect how people work and play?

### Selection ④



How is geography a foundation for a community?

Preview



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**How can we describe a community by its geography?**

Preview pages 6–25. Then read *Living in the Mountains* to find out.